

The Gazette.

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SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance to Readers of The Gazette.

Mrs. M. E. Kenyon returned Sunday from a visit at Minneapolis with her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Soule.

Archie Clark of Mosinee has been spending a few days at Lawrence Carley's home on Michigan avenue.

A son was born of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Bos, 726 Michigan avenue, last Saturday. They now have a girl and boy.

Mrs. Chris Geisler boarded this morning's train for Cambria, Columbia county, to visit a few days among relatives.

P. F. Higgins, agent for the Soo and Green Bay roads at Amherst Junction, spent part of Sunday with friends in this city.

Mrs. W. H. Lind of Marshfield has been a visitor at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Peely, on Water street this week.

Mrs. Herman Bauer and little daughter were here from Fond du Lac a couple of days this week to visit the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sellers.

Mrs. Shepard F. Kollock of Almond came up last Wednesday evening and visited until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith, on East avenue.

While about in the rear part of her yard at the South Side, last Friday afternoon, Mrs. W. N. Wiley slipped and fell on the ice, and had the misfortune of breaking the bones in one of her arms near the wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Manthey of Minneapolis were in town yesterday afternoon and last night, guests at C. F. Haertel's home on Mill street. Mrs. Manthey left for Portage this morning and her husband went to Fond du Lac on railroad business. He is assistant superintendent of bridges and buildings for the Soo company.

Funeral services for the late Francis Biron were held at Grand Rapids last Thursday morning and were attended by several relatives and friends from this city, also by his uncle and cousin, Jos. Raymond and Miss Laura Raymond of Arnott. Francis is the Soo line brakeman who was fatally injured at Stanley a week ago last Saturday.

Last Monday was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. B. O. Richter and in order to impress the event more fully on the lady's memory, between 25 and 30 lady and gentleman friends gave her a genuine surprise that evening. Several hours were spent in an enjoyable manner. Mrs. Richter was presented with table linen and other valuable reminders of the occasion.

Mrs. A. F. Bryan's mother, Mrs. James Irvin of Ashland, who died at her home in the northern city last week Monday, was taken to Canada for burial. The remains were accompanied to the east by Mr. and Mrs. Bryan. The gentleman's position as Soo line train dispatcher is being filled by Fred Cowen and the latter's place as operator is now in charge of Anton Olson.

The south bound Portage freight train in charge of Conductor Jeff. Berry and Engineer E. P. Russell was held up for six and one-half miles in a snow drift one and one-half miles above Plainfield, last Friday. By constantly "backing" the tightly packed drifts with the locomotive and by the aid of shovels, an outlet was finally made and very little further trouble had. They started on the return trip at 8 a. m. and arrived here at 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

HAVE SECURED OPTION

Site for New Elks' Home Decided Upon and Construction Will Be Commenced in Near Future.

The membership of Stevens Point Lodge, No. 641, B. P. O. E., is constantly increasing, the increase thus far this year being especially large and most gratifying to officers and members generally. Last Wednesday evening's gathering was mainly devoted to the project of erecting a new home and club house, and the committee having the matter in hand, C. S. Orthman and Dr. M. A. Haddock, has met with so much encouragement, that there seems no doubt of success. An option on the property opposite the Jacobs House, on Clark street, was recently secured from G. W. Andrae, and present indications are that everything will be in readiness to commence work on the new Elks' Home in the early spring, although plans and preparations have not yet been prepared.

The new building will be a genuine home in all respects, "erected on the ground floor," the site having frontage of 115 feet on Clark street, with depth of 127 feet, and will be a modern Elks structure, more complete details of which will be announced later.

A. H. Bailey and Gen. Lynn were admitted to membership Wednesday evening, after which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Esteemed Exalted Ruler—W. E. Fisher. Esteemed Leading Knight—L. J. Eaton. Esteemed Loyal Knight—A. F. Grant. Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Russell Moen.

Esquire—Frank Glenz. Inner Guard—Earl Wilson. Tiler—Frank Abb. Jr. Secretary—C. S. Orthman. Treasurer—T. L. N. Port. Trustee, 3 yrs.—E. D. Glennon.

The Democrats of Wisconsin, after long and patient waiting, can again point with pride to the fact that this state is now represented by a Democratic United States Senator, a man of whom we may well be and are justly proud, Hon. Paul O. Husting having succeeded Hon. Isaac Stephenson on Thursday last, March 4th. Senator Husting is the first Democrat to appear as national senator since the days of Vilas and Mitchell, and those who know him best and have watched his record at home for years, believe that they can ever point to him with pride. Senator Husting is a young man, has already gained an enviable reputation in the councils of his state and party, all of which he has won through broad judgment and masterly ability.

THE OUTLOOK BRIGHT

Officials Who Return After Conference at Madison Are Confident Dormitory Will Be Built.

As stated in last week's Gazette, Pres. John F. Sims and Regent Geo. B. Nelson went to Madison on Tuesday and the following day appeared before the finance committee, composed of members of both houses of the legislature. There were also present other members of the board of Normal school regents, and the purpose of the interview at this time was to confer in regard to the budget of expenses, compiled at the last annual meeting of the board, for carrying on the Normal schools for the next two years.

According to the budget, \$1,500,000 would be needed for appropriations, and it was the opinion of the committee that this amount was excessive, or larger than the legislature could appropriate this year, and in consequence the board will be obliged to hold another meeting and compile a new budget. However, the Stevens Point gentlemen feel assured that appropriations made the local Normal by the legislature of 1913 will not be repeated, as the committee spoke favorably of dormitories in connection with the Normal schools, and the outlook is bright for the commencement of the local dormitory in the early spring.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Articles and Items of News that Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Skoglund, of Amherst, a girl, March 8th.

Mrs. F. B. Lamoreux left the city on Thursday last for Seymour, where she went to visit for several days with friends.

Eli Hansen, a brother of Rasmus Hansen, of the firm of Aug. Goerke & Co., arrived here recently from near Copenhagen, Denmark, and will make Stevens Point his permanent home.

Mrs. Alex Krembs left the city yesterday noon for Richfield, Milwaukee county, in response to a telegram announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Biegler. The deceased lady was 66 years of age and her death was caused by pneumonia.

Levi Daniel Conery, one of Stevens Point's early residents, died at the state hospital at Oshkosh on March 9th, having lived for over seventy-three years. He is survived by his wife, one son, Charles of this city, and one daughter, Mrs. Francis Trever of Glen Falls, N. Y.

Knut Jorgenson, a resident of this city for the past twenty-five years, died at the residence of C. O. Loberg, after an illness of nearly ten months with consumption, Wednesday evening of last week. Deceased was born in Norway about 50 years ago. One brother, Herman, and a sister, Mrs. Ella Larson, both residents of Iowa, are left to mourn.

Jas. Welch was called to Princeton the first of last week by a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of his father, who died on Tuesday of the same week. He was over seventy years of age. A later dispatch announces the death of Mrs. Welch on Monday of this week and tomorrow her remains will be interred beside those of her husband. The old couple had lived on a farm near Princeton for forty years.

Institute for Teachers.

On Saturday, March 20th, Prof. A. J. Herrick of the Stevens Point Normal school will assist County Supt. F. C. Bannach in conducting a teachers' institute at Almond at the High school. This meeting is held directly for the benefit of the teachers in Almond village and in the surrounding rural schools.

Mr. Herrick will speak on growth of alfalfa, diseases of potatoes and boys and girls clubs. Teachers, please make arrangements to be present and members of the school boards and the general public are cordially invited to attend. w3

OBITUARY

ALBERT F. NEUMAN.

When the announcement reached this city Tuesday morning that Albert F. Neuman had passed away at his home near what has for many years been known as the Neuman M. E. church, near Arnott, in the town of Stockton, it was received with both regret and surprise. Mr. Neuman had been ill only one week, his illness being due to an attack of pneumonia, and he failed almost constantly to the end.

Albert Frederick Neuman was born in Germany and would have been 65 years of age had he lived until the 27th of next May. He had been a resident of this county since his early youth, living in this city for a number of years. His wife, whose maiden name was Miss Emma Benson, died in June, 1912, and those who survive this union are a daughter, Emma, who is at home, and a son, Harry, of Macoun, Saskatchewan, Canada. Mr. Neuman also leaves a brother and sister, Chas. Neuman of Macoun, Canada, and Mrs. Harry Chellis of Wausau.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, prayers at the house being followed by services at the Neuman M. E. church. Rev. Gelling of Amherst to officiate.

MRS. H. W. GRANT.

Mrs. Louise M. Grant passed away at her home, 908 Wisconsin avenue, Monday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock, her death being due to heart trouble, with which she had long been afflicted, altho the end came more suddenly than anticipated. The deceased was a native of Ohio and was 69 years of age on the 14th of February. She was a daughter of the late Geo. Kickland and was married to Herbert W. Grant at Plymouth, this state, in 1866. They came here in 1875, making their home in Carson a number of years, and the husband died two years ago last November.

The deceased is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Gilbert Philbrick and Mrs. George Strong of this city and Mrs. J. L. Philbrick of Almond, and one son, H. A. Grant of the town of Oneida.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Prayers were said at the late home of the deceased, after which services were conducted at the South Side chapel, Rev. F. L. Hayward officiating. Interment followed in Forest cemetery.

County Treasurer's Report.

Report of moneys received and disbursed during the past month:

Cash in treasury Feb. 1, 1915 \$ 7,870.86

Received during the month 96,280.82

Total \$ 104,151.68

DISBURSEMENTS

County road orders 402.50

City and Towns on acct. school 75.00

County Supt. salary 11,354.18

County orders 14,294.84

Court certificates 13.21

Telephone rent 9.58

Bounty on wolves 20.00

O. A. Nelson 111.05

State Treas., state tax and 65,548.92

trust loans 10.00

Citizens Nat. Bank for draft 97.50

Soldiers' Relief orders 282.07

Co. Board of Education orders 683.52

Township library orders 1.00

Report on vital statistics 1.00

Total \$50,168.14

In Bank \$25,416.77

Cash on hand 46.27

Balance in treasury March 1, 1915 \$28,695.64

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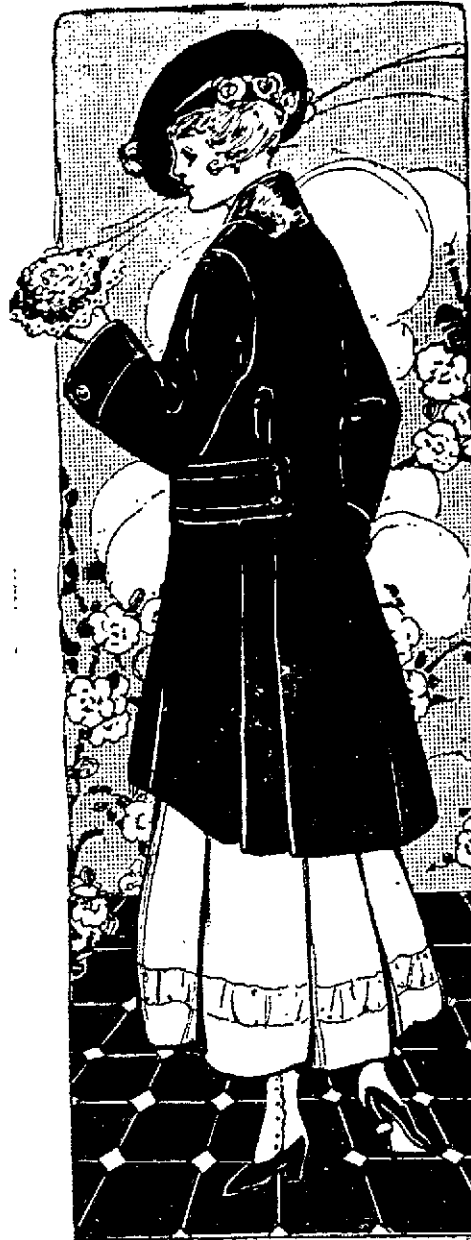
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To the voters of Stevens Point:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of city clerk of the city of Stevens Point. Your support will be appreciated.

W. L. Bronson.

Authorized and to be paid for at the rate of 5 cents per line for each insertion by W. E. Teichert, whose postoffice address is Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of alderman from the Second ward at the spring election, which will be held on Tuesday, April 6, 1915.

Ordered and paid for by Frank R. Springer, whose home is in the town of Almond, Portage county, Wis.

Having filled the position as a member of the county board of education of Portage county for the past year, conscientiously carried out every duty to the best of my ability and for the best

interest of all concerned, I respectfully solicit your support at the coming election to be held Tuesday, April 6th, 1915.

Frank R. Springer.

Written, authorized and to be paid for at the rate of 5 cents per line by Robert K. McDonald, whose postoffice address is Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

To the voters of the First ward, city of Stevens Point:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as alderman of the First ward, city of Stevens Point. The support of the electors of this ward will be appreciated.

R. K. McDonald.

WANTED — Second hand chicken brooder. Inquire at this office.

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SUMMONS—State of Wisconsin, Circuit Court, Portage County.

Anna O. McIntyre, Plaintiff, vs. Albert A. McIntyre, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

L. J. N. Murat,

Plaintiff's Attorney.

P. O. address: Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin.

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3001 Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK At Stevens Point,

In the State of Wisconsin, at the close of business March 1, 1915

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,	\$ 561,630.51
Bonds	453,041.09
Real Estate and Fixtures,	17,284.68
Cash on hand and in Banks,	360,161.55
Due from U. S. Treasurer,	3,750.00
Total	\$1,395,867.83

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits,	37,100.01
Reserved for taxes and accrued interest	10,800.00
Circulating Notes,	75,000.00
Deposits,	1,172,967.82
Total,	\$1,395,867.83

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, ss.

I, J. W. DUNEGAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. DUNEGAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, 1915.

JOS. SCHOETTLE, Notary Public.

My commission expires June 7, 1918.

CORRECT—Attest:

A. R. WIER,

P. J. JACOBS,

H. H. PAGRI,

Directors.

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

DANCY.

Miss Tonie Kling visited relatives in Stevens Point a few days recently. Miss Regina Sveda of Neillville is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Elmer Wheaton. Do not forget the auction sale at the A. E. Dufos farm, Eau Claire, next Friday.

The box factory in this village started up Monday with wood enough to run until fall.

Quite a number of land deals are pending the advent of spring and the snow's disappearance.

L. H. Duncan of Wausau and A. Klug of Mosinee were in this locality the past week buying cattle.

The snow storm the past week blocked the roads in many places but traffic has again resumed normal conditions.

Elmer Wheaton was on the sick list the past week, but with the advent of spring weather hopes to be out again.

Henry Welch, who played with the Custer basketball team here, stayed over a couple of days and visited Coniff Knoller.

Fred Goes, who has been working as a "runner" on a dredge boat in Ohio, is spending a few days with his parents near Dancy.

Charles Milward has shipped several head of his pure bred cattle to stock breeders in the southern part of the state the past week.

Carl Patzer and family of Milwaukee moved here the past week and are now occupying their new farm home recently purchased from Theo. Coenen. Mr. Coenen and family have moved to their new home near Rudolph. The property recently sold to Mr. Patzer consists of an eighty-foot lot, which was purchased seven years ago for \$1,500. Mr. Coenen sold it for \$3,900 cash, which netted him a very nice profit.

Ward Hobbs was in Milwaukee the past week as witness in the suit against Forrester and Downey and Fairbanks Steam Shovel Co., brought by Mrs. Sellers, whose husband was killed when a boiler blew up on the dredge boat in the Dancy drainage district. Others who were injured at the time are also interested in the outcome of the action. This suit is being tried in federal court. It had one hearing in circuit court and the decision was that the boiler was defective in manufacture and Forrester & Downey were not liable. In the new trial the Fairbanks Steam Shovel Co., who manufactured the boiler, were also made defendants.

On Wednesday evening the Dancy basketball team played Custer and defeated them by a score of 16 to 27. On Friday evening Dancy defeated the Wausau business college by a score of 24 to 37. Both visiting teams were a bunch of gentlemanly fellows; there was no "rough house" and they took their defeat with good grace. Notwithstanding the storm that was raging Friday night, a big crowd turned out to witness the game. This makes seven games our boys have played this season and they have not met a defeat. They expect to play Grand Rapids High school team this week. Several accompanied the Wausau boys to help out the "rooting," but when the crowd of Dancy youngsters present let loose, Wausau was not in the game.

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Commencing This Week and Continuing Fourteen Weeks

Mrs. H. L. Kellogg is very ill and under the doctor's care.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church on Sunday evening. C. C. Kellogg and family are numbered with the sick at this writing. The worst snow storm of the season visited this section of the country last Friday.

Mrs. A. J. Schneiss of Granville spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Krake and family while on her way to Stevens Point.

Mrs. George Jackson passed away at her home in Bancroft Thursday afternoon, after an illness of about two weeks with blood poisoning. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, a son 15 months of age, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark, and two brothers, besides a host of relatives and friends. All extend sympathy to the sorrowing ones.

EAU CLAIRE.

The W. C. T. U. meeting is postponed till next Saturday.

Paul Graested and Miss Anna Smith were Stevens Point visitors last week.

Miss Anna Smith has started work in Dr. Murphy's office at Junction City.

Rev. F. O. Carlson of Grantsburg, will preach at the Swedish Free church this Wednesday evening.

Sam Sleep has returned home from a visit with his folks at Darlington, Wis. Mr. Sleep was a Stevens Point caller Monday.

Mrs. Herman Nobach of Fernwood, Idaho, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Borth and other relatives. She also spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wolfe.

The China meeting which was to be held last Friday evening was postponed till the next day, Saturday, on account of the weather. A large crowd attended and enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Wm. Pitt, at her daughter's home in Idaho. Mrs. Pitt was a former resident of this locality and her many friends here sympathize with the family and relatives.

Word has been received from Mrs. Albert Bernhagen that they have reached their new home in Oregon. They are enjoying the robins' songs and lovely green grass. Our people wish we could enjoy it with them. But we are looking for the robin's song most any day now and will see the green grass soon too, we hope.

AMHERST.

John Een left for Madison on Tuesday.

Mrs. Eva Allen was on the sick list last week.

Mike Hopkins of Lanark was here on Monday.

Charles Pratt is spending a few days in Oshkosh.

Mrs. Geo. Anthony spent Saturday in Stevens Point.

James J. Nelson is in Madison on business this week.

Miss Fena Gunderson visited relatives in Iowa last week.

Mrs. W. J. Burling is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Miss Mina Sandholm was an over Sunday visitor at Waupaca.

Miss Nellie Gustin visited over Sunday with friends at Plover.

Chris Halverson of Benson's Corners spent Sunday in our village.

Alma Peterson returned to her home at St. Peter, Minn., Monday.

Mrs. C. M. Kates was in Stevens Point on business last Wednesday.

Carl Sannes, a prominent farmer of Scandinavia, was in town Monday.

Mrs. H. A. Wilson and Bessie Wilson were in Stevens Point last Wednesday.

Fred Milbreit returned from a visit at Spokeville, Clark county, last Monday.

Mrs. C. F. Haertel of Stevens Point visited at L. A. Pomeroy's the last of the week.

Carl Waller is home from Litchfield, Minn., where he purchased a \$500 span of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wilson of Stevens Point spent the week with Mrs. Phoebe Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lea, Sr., are guests of their sons, Jesse and Ralph Lea in Lanark.

Mrs. T. S. Bergin of Stevens Point visited relatives here last week Tuesday and Wednesday.

The "500" club met with Mrs. James J. Nelson last week and with Mrs. G. W. Smith this week.

Mrs. G. E. Dusenbury and Mrs. Jas. Delaney visited with Mrs. L. E. Scherke at Arnott last week.

Mrs. Floyd Johnson, who visited at the F. M. Starks home for a few days, returned to her home at Whitehall Monday.

John Howen is getting material on the ground and will erect a fine new residence on his farm near the Lyne school house.

Miss Myrtle Howen came up from Waukesha last Monday to spend a week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Howen.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Nelson, Tuesday night, March 2d, a daughter. They now have two sons and one daughter.

The Muchow Brothers of Appleton have installed an up-to-date shoe repairing machine in the basement of the Iverson building and will repair your shoes while you wait.

Dr. and Mrs. F. Metcalf entertained at progressive "500" last Wednesday evening. About forty friends attended. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable time reported.

Miss Myrtle Williams of Amherst Junction visited relatives here Thursday and Friday. She leaves in a short time for Hustisford, Wis., where her brothers, Boyd and Elmer, have rented a dairy farm.

On Monday afternoon of last week Miss Cora Turner and Mrs. F. S. Sutton were the hostesses at a sleigh ride party. About 36 ladies met at the Central Hotel, where rigs were provided. Upon their return they were taken to the home of Miss Turner, where a substantial hot lunch was served.

Mrs. Geo. Morgan returned from Stevens Point last Wednesday, where she had been summoned on account of the illness of her daughter, Miss Mabel, who is a student at the Normal. The young lady is having a serious time from a fall she suffered a few days ago. The latest report from there is very satisfactory.

FOR SALE—Dry hard slab wood, cut 16 inch lengths. Enquire at J. Wozzalla's Sons, 204-208 N. Second street, city; telephone 267.

TO ENGAGE VISITING NURSE

City Schools Will Have Trained Expert to Look After Health of Children—Other Business Done by Board.

Ten members of the Board of Education answered to roll call at the monthly meeting of that body last Monday evening, the absentees being C. W. Simonson and Adolph Cook.

A representative of the Hennen elastic calking paste for windows addressed the board and exhibited samples of the material he had for sale. His proposition was referred to the supply committee.

Mr. Noble, a nurseryman and landscape gardener from Pardeeville, Wis., was next given an opportunity to explain sketches he had made of the First and Second ward school grounds, showing the substantial improvements that might be made by setting out trees and shrubbery. Later in the evening Pres. Rogers appointed R. A. Cook, Young and Glennon as a special committee to confer with Mr. Noble, which committee was given power to have the Second ward property improved.

Miss Salisbury, a visiting nurse in the state's employ, also addressed the board in reference to her special line of work and gave many good reasons why Stevens Point ought to have a trained nurse to look after the health of its school children. One of the principal duties of this officer is to look after contagious diseases and prevent their spreading. She would also examine the children for adenoids, defective teeth and weak eyesight. Miss Salisbury read a list of cities employing from one to three nurses for these special purposes. Henry Theis, local superintendent for the Metropolitan Insurance Co., and Mr. Feldner, a special agent, were also present per invitation and stated that it was the company's policy to pay 50 cents for each visit made by nurses to the homes of people who carried Metropolitan insurance, which sum would be paid to the board.

Upon recommendation of the teachers' committee, it was voted to engage a nurse at not to exceed \$75 per month, her labors to commence next September. The matter of devoting a portion of her time to the insurance company policyholders may be taken up later.

Treasurer Vetter reported the receipt of \$16,670 from City Treas. Boyer, \$435.90 from the state for High school aid, and \$9,283.56 as state school money. Other receipts included \$18 from Carson and \$38 from Sharon township for tuition.

Miss Margery Cronander of Madison made application for position as teacher of English or history and German. The letter was referred to teachers' committee.

The treasurer's statement for March showed a balance on hand of \$4,369.35. Miss Eva La Duke was granted leave of absence for the balance of the school year and Miss Margaret Hinckley engaged to take Miss LaDuke's place as seventh grade teacher in the Third ward. Miss Anna Wright was appointed acting principal.

The supply committee reported that repairs had been made to the West Side school furnace. Mr. Cook recommended a steam heating system for the Third ward school, that the furnace now in use there be transferred to the West Side building and that rock grates be installed where needed. These improvements and changes may be made next summer.

F. J. Jerzak, chairman of the insurance committee, reported that the several buildings are now insured for a total of \$117,500, the policies being equally divided among ten local agencies. The rate was reduced from \$1.80 to \$1.41 per \$100.

Supt. Snyder reported that it would be impossible to rent the opera house for commencement week and the committee therefore decided that the most suitable place to hold the class day and graduating exercises would be the Presbyterian church, which may be secured at a cost of about \$25. The recommendation was accepted.

Mr. Snyder made an interesting and detailed report of the national superintendents' convention held at Cincinnati last month, attended by 2,500 school people, of whom 47 were from Wisconsin. In concluding his talk the gentleman said "I want to assure you that I consider the time and money well spent. It was an inspiring and instructive convention and one that could not help sending us back to our homes better fitted to carry on the work devolving upon us."

School Report.

District No. 4, town of Plover, for month ending March 5, 1915. Number of pupils enrolled, 27; number of days taught, 19; average daily attendance, 23; grand total attendance, 437. Those not absent during the month: Marguerite, Harold and Harley Booth, Kenneth and Bennie Willard, Claude Baker, Lilly Wallace, Arthur Mellen, Joe and John Wisniewski, Ellis Mason and Lloyd Currier. Those absent two days or less: Genevieve Willard, Charlotte and Oliver Norton, Earl Grylon, Helen and Johnnie Nagorsky, Lawrence Wallace and Norman LeRoex. Anna S. Berry, Teacher.

Genuine March Weather.

March, 1915, came in "like a lamb," mild, quiet and calm, but Thursday night and for more than forty hours thereafter this part of the globe experienced something different. A continuous snow, with heavy wind, kept farmers close at home, roads being blocked and most of the rural mail carriers were able to cover only part of their routes Friday and Saturday, drifts being the worst of the season. Trains from different directions were somewhat delayed for a couple of days.

Board Made Selection.

W. F. Reickert, a well known engineer of Marshfield, has been engaged by the board of public works of this city to prepare plans and specifications and look after the paving and sewer work to be done in this city during the coming season. Mr. Reickert will at the same time have supervision over work to be done in his home town. He was selected by the local board from among a number who had applied for the position here, and it is believed a good choice has been made.

MADE A FINE SHOWING

Nelsonville Creamery & Cheese Association One of the Most Prosperous—Newly Chosen Officers.

At a recent meeting of the Nelsonville Creamery & Cheese association, whose plant is located at Nelsonville, officers were chosen as follows: President—L. L. Gordon, Jr. Vice Pres.—Dr. H. Raasoch. Secretary—O. S. Swenson. Treasurer—L. H. Johnson. Directors—Nic Simonis, Martin Moe, Chas. Peterson. Buttermaker—Odin Christianson.

At this time the secretary made an interesting annual report, figures from which are gleaned as follows: Total receipts for 1914.....\$44,084.63 Patron received.....\$40,718.56 Dividends paid on stock.....\$16.00 For new machinery.....\$245.46 Salaries.....\$1,135.00 Operating expenses.....\$1,416.64

Cash balance.....\$252.97 Pounds cream received, 462,095; average test, 26.80 per cent; pounds butter fat, 124,245; pounds butter manufactured, 150,911; average per cent overrun, 21.46; average selling price of butter, 28.97; average price paid patrons for butter fat, 32.77. Butter made or manufactured showed an increase of 33 per cent over previous year.

All Important Legislation.

Readers of The Gazette can keep well posted on the doings of the legislature at Madison by looking over part second of each issue. Our special correspondent covers two columns each week, and all important matters are touched upon. Your attention is called to that part of your home paper every week.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Helen McGlachlin, daughter of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Edward T. McGlachlin, to Lieut. John E. Hatch, was announced at Fort Sill, Okla., where the family is now located, on Saturday last. The young lady has been a frequent visitor with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. McGlachlin, in this city in the past, and the many sincere friends she has made among our young people, take occasion to extend well wishes for the future. The event will not take place for about three months.

ELKS AND KNIGHTS MET

Visitors From Waupaca Pass Pleasant Evening in Stevens Point and Lose and Win One Game at Bowling.

A number of Waupaca's star bowlers, including Ed. Smith, R. J. Havenor, A. F. Larson, H. E. Gordon, Will Breit, Carl Anderson, S. W. Johnson, "Tat" Parish, C. G. Sawyer, and Charley Larson, spent Saturday evening in this city and played a couple of match games here, the visitors representing the Knights of Pythias lodge from our neighboring city, while the home teams were selected from the Stevens Point lodge of Elks. The first game was won by the visiting team by a score of 37, but the next was won by the home boys by a total of 287, the scores being as follows:

K. P. No. 1, Waupaca:			
Sawyer.....	153	195	195
Havenor.....	166	180	178
Johnson.....	186	176	183
Gordon.....	170	154	155
Larson.....	201	200	167
Totals.....	876	905	878
Grand total, 2,659.			

Elk No. 1, Stevens Point:			
Clark.....	208	151	199
Cook.....	152	181	192
Bach.....	179	164	141
Van Rooy.....	162	174	167
Hollenbeck.....	176	179	197
Totals.....	877	849	896
Grand total, 2,622.			

K. P. No. 2, Waupaca:			
Ed. Smith.....	146	145	144
Parish.....	133	139	145
Larson.....	163	129	138
Breit.....	180	172	146
Anderson.....	146	172	212
Totals.....	773	757	785
Grand total, 2,315.			

Elk No. 2, Stevens Point:			
Cashin.....	181	177	197
Grant.....	184	120	209
Love.....	130	149	185
Porter.....	169	175	208
Bergbolte.....	135	190	184
Totals.....	789	811	982
Grand total, 2,582.			

Much Water Thrown.

At about 3 o'clock last Sunday afternoon the fire department was called to the residence of Steve Sloma, 407 N. Third street, where a chimney fire was soon quenched. The next morning at about 10 o'clock fire again broke out in the attic, but whether this was the result of a smoldering of the fire of the previous day or a new fire is not known, but was also put out before much damage was done. Water thrown caused more damage than the fires.

Circuit Court Cases.

August Wilke vs. Lena Martin. This case was brought here on a change of venue from Waupaca county. C. F. Crane of Weyauwega appeared for plaintiff and Husting & Husting of Fond du Lac for the defendant. The action was brought to quiet title and Judge Park found for the plaintiff.

Peter Zimbo vs. Caspiro Skibinski. Judgment for plaintiff for \$100.00 and taxable costs.

Mary Zmuda vs. Joseph Zmuda. Ordered that the defendant pay the plaintiff the sum of \$12.50 per month as temporary alimony, the first payment to be made March 15. The defendant was also ordered to pay \$15.00 suit money.

Alvin Barrows vs. Mary Barrows. Judgment of divorce granted plaintiff.

Peter R. Lamers vs. Anton Vanden Heuvel et al. Judgment of foreclosure and sale.

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Citizens National Bank

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THE GAITER TOP SHOE is the prevailing fashion now. We have them in many styles and leathers and at prices within your reach. You'll be surprised when we show you the handsome, durable shoes we can sell you for a little money. Why not stop in today and look at them whether you are ready to buy or not?

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From March 18 to March 20

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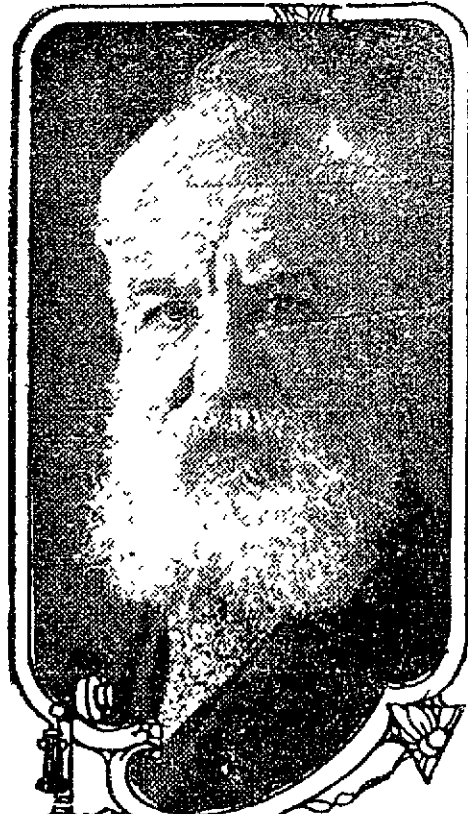
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Main Street, Opposite Postoffice, Stevens Point, Wis.

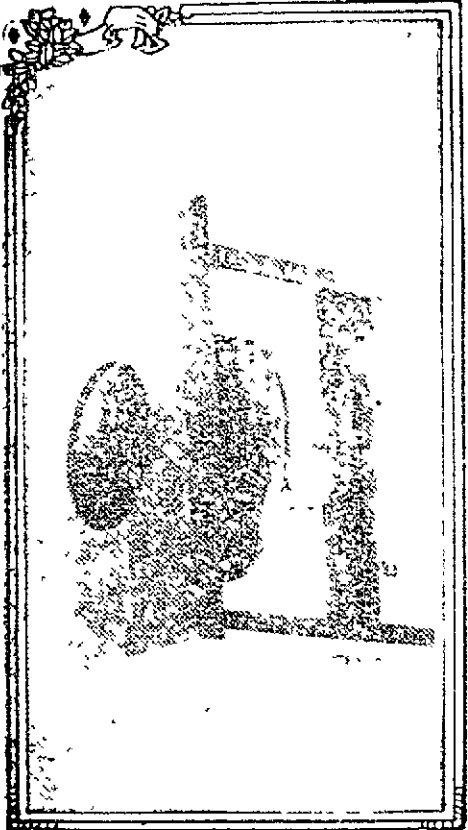
Views of the Construction of the New Transcontinental Telephone Line and Prominent Men Connected With the Great Achievement



THOMAS A. WATSON, Associate of Dr. Bell, who made the first telephone instrument according to Bell's specifications.



ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL, Inventor of the telephone, who took part in celebration of transcontinental telephone line.



FIRST TELEPHONE, Original instrument exhibited at Philadelphia Centennial, 1876.



J. J. CARTY, Wizard of telephone wires, who directed construction of transcontinental telephone line.

VAIL BUILDS UP VAST SYSTEM WITH BELL'S INVENTION

STORY OF TELEPHONE HEAD AN INTERESTING ROMANCE OF MODERN BUSINESS.

OCEAN TO OCEAN LINE RESULT OF HIS EFFORTS

Crowns Achievements With Record Long Distance Talk Covering 4,400 Miles.

President Theodore N. Vail of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company enjoys the distinction of having sent the sound of his voice over a greater distance than any man who ever lived.

On January 25th, when long-distance telephone records were being smashed right and left at the celebration of the completion of the transcontinental line, it was the talk between San Francisco and Jekyll Island that had the honor of breaking every world's record for long-distance transmission. President Vail is spending the winter on Jekyll Island, and when he spoke to San Francisco, his voice had to travel 3,900 miles up the Atlantic seaboard to New York before it started on its transcontinental journey. When it landed in the receiver at San Francisco it had gone 4,400 miles in all.

Mr. Vail's Statement.

After he had finished speaking with San Francisco, Mr. Vail made the following statement concerning the new line:

"At the centennial exhibition at Philadelphia, the exhibit of the Bell System consisted of two telephones capable of talking from one part of the room to another. Faint as the transmitted speech was, it became at once the marvel of all the world, causing scientists as well as laymen to exclaim with wonder. Starting with these feeble instruments only, the Bell Company, by persistent study and in-

cessant expenditures of immense sums of money, created an entire new art inventing, developing and perfecting, making improvements, great and small, in telephone transmitter, line, cable, switchboard and every other piece of apparatus and plant required for the transmission of speech. As the latest product of this unceasing organized effort, there has been dedicated to the service of the public to-day a transcontinental line 3,400 miles long, joining the Atlantic and the Pacific and carrying the human voice instantly and distinctly between San Francisco and New York and Boston and Washington. This telephone line is part of the Bell System of 21,000,000 miles of wire connecting 9,000,000 telephone stations located everywhere throughout the United States and giving to the American people telephone service unparalleled among the nations of the earth."

A Prominent Figure.

Theodore N. Vail is one of the most prominent figures in American business life. In 1878 he took hold of Bell's invention, when few others saw more than local possibilities for it, and built up the greatest telephone system in the world.

In 1887 Mr. Vail retired from the presidency of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company. In 1890 he resigned from the presidency of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co. of New York, and, laying aside business cares for a time, purchased a large farm in Vermont, which he devoted to the raising of fine live stock.

In 1893 Mr. Vail made a trip to South America, where he became much interested in the Argentine Republic, and, obtaining a government concession near Cordoba, he built an electric power station. He also bought a horse-car line in Buenos Ayres, converted it into a trolley line, organized a company and equipped it with the best cars from the United States, bought out all competing lines, and gave the city a complete service. A company was organized, composed of British capitalists, who operated the road, and for some time Mr. Vail had his headquarters in London; but finally, believing that the undertaking no longer needed his personal attention, he retired from the company activities in 1904 and returned to his farm at London, Vermont.

In 1907, urged by prominent officials of the Bell Telephone Company, he re-entered the telephone field and again took the presidency of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company.

Besides being president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, Mr. Vail is director in many of its subsidiaries and also of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada.

He is a director of the Astor Trust Company of New York, a trustee of the American Savings Company of New York, president of a director of the New England Casualty Company, president and a director of the Lyndonville National Bank and of the Lyndonville Creamery Association, and many other corporations.

Besides his business activities, Mr. Vail has founded the Lyndon Agricultural School at Lyndon, Vt., in which he takes a keen interest. He is also a trustee of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts and a director of the Boston Opera House.

BE KIND TODAY.

Less spent on the dead and more spent on the living would bring about many happy results. Hearts are breaking, loved ones wait, and tears flow all because of the withholding of kind words unspoken and letters never sent. Behold the sad mistakes of others, their remorse, and profit by the same before it is too late. Today, now, speak the loving word, send the tender message, write the letter you put off day by day, and don't wait until you forget it or until bitter memories haunt you.

Called His Papa Down.

Little Willy is a bright boy and a saucy boy. His apt answers have often turned away wrath and often turned it upon him strongly. The other day his father was reprimanding him for some misdeed, and Willy was answering very saucily. The father became very angry and, seizing the youngster by the collar, said: "See here, young man, you must not talk like that to me. I never gave my father impudence when I was a boy." Willy was not fazed at all. With a cherubic smile he looked into papa's eyes and said, "But, papa, maybe your father didn't need it." 'Twas all off Willy escaped punishment, while papa retired to another room.



PRESIDENT THEODORE N. VAIL OF THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, WHO WAS CONGRATULATED BY PRESIDENT WILSON ON THE COMPLETION OF THE TRANSCONTINENTAL TELEPHONE LINE.

WHAT NEW TELEPHONE LINE MEANS TO NATION

Deals Final Blow to Sectionalism by Bringing All Our People Closer Together.

A prominent guest at the celebration of the Transcontinental Telephone Line, speaking of what the new connection means to the country said:

"For one thing, it is a final blow to sectionalism—it has put a seal on the fact there is no longer East and West, North and South. Not even the railroads or the new canal have done or can do so much toward bringing the states closer together and uniting them more firmly, not only in commerce, but in thought and language. Provincialism will become rarer and rarer, localisms, dialects—all such things that depend on isolation—are getting to be an impossibility in the United States, and the telephone has been the greatest agent in bringing about this desirable condition. It is hard for people to get very far apart when they are in such constant touch with each other, and I know of nothing which is doing more to strengthen the bonds between individuals and communities than the network of wires the American Telephone & Telegraph Company is spreading over the country. So much importance do I attach to this idea, that, extreme as the statement may seem, I believe quite firmly that, had the telephone system reached its present perfection previous to 1861, the Civil War would not have occurred. The wires would not have let the North and South drift so far apart."

HEARS INVITATION TO DINNER BEFORE GIVEN

Nevel Conversation Takes Place Over New Bell Line Across Continent.

An interesting feature of the celebration of the Transcontinental Telephone Line was a conversation between two telephone pioneers, Thomas D. Lockwood in Boston and Thomas B. Doolittle in San Francisco.

In the course of the conversation Mr. Doolittle asked Mr. Lockwood if the latter was not going to extend an invitation to dinner; to which Mr. Lockwood made the following very interesting reply:

"Certainly I am happy to invite you to dinner; but don't forget that times and conditions are changed. When in 1879 we opened the Lowell line, if you were in Lowell, you would have heard my invitation while I was giving it, and could have joined me inside of an hour, but now, and where you are, while you will hear with your own ears my invitation three hours before I give it you can not reach the table until four or five days later."

CHARACTER.

Character is moral order embodied in the individual. Men of character are not only the conscience of society, but in every well governed state they are its best motive power, for it is moral qualities in the main which rule the world.—Samuel Smiles.

SOME INTERESTING TELEPHONE FACTS

The New York-San Francisco telephone line is 3,390 miles long. There are two circuits, each using 6,780 miles of hard-drawn copper wire.

There are 870 pounds of copper wire in each circuit mile, and 2,960 tons in the entire line.

The longest telephone communication on record took place January 25th, when Theodore N. Vail talked from Jekyll Island, Georgia, to San Francisco, a distance of 4,400 miles.

If a voice were loud enough to be heard from New York to San Francisco, it would take four hours to travel that distance through the air.

The voice by telephone travels from New York to San Francisco in 1-15th of a second, traveling at the rate of 56,000 miles per second.

The voice of a man speaking in New York is heard in San Francisco three hours earlier, that being the difference in the standard time of the two cities.

The first sound was transmitted by telephone June 2, 1875, in Boston.

The first words were transmitted by telephone March 10, 1876, in Boston. Mr. Watson heard Prof. Bell say, "Mr. Watson, please come here. I want you."

The first conversation held by telephone took place October 9, 1876, over a telegraph line two miles long between Boston and Cambridge. Mr. Bell and Mr. Watson talked.

The first newspaper report ever transmitted by telephone was sent from Salem, Mass., to the Boston Globe.

The New York-San Francisco line crosses thirteen states.

The Panama Canal was begun nine years ago and has cost \$310,000,000; within the same space of time the Bell Company has spent twice that amount in its engineering construction work alone.

Swiss Glaciers.

As the Matterhorn is the grandest object to be seen in Switzerland, so also are the glaciers above Zermatt the most magnificent. In the Oberland and at Chamonix the glaciers are frozen rivers and cataracts. From the Gorner Grats the glaciers are vast seas of ice, with ledges of rocky beach, over which the frozen breakers are beating. The Aletsch and the Rhone glaciers are grand frozen torrents of immense volume, and the ice fields of the Mont Blanc range are of vast extent, but it is from the Gorner Grats, where the spectator is surrounded by frozen seas, out of which the snow peaks rise, like islands, that the imagination is overpowered by stupendous glacial effects.

Fast and Slow.

The Father—I learn with sorrow, my son, that you are getting to be what they term quite fast.

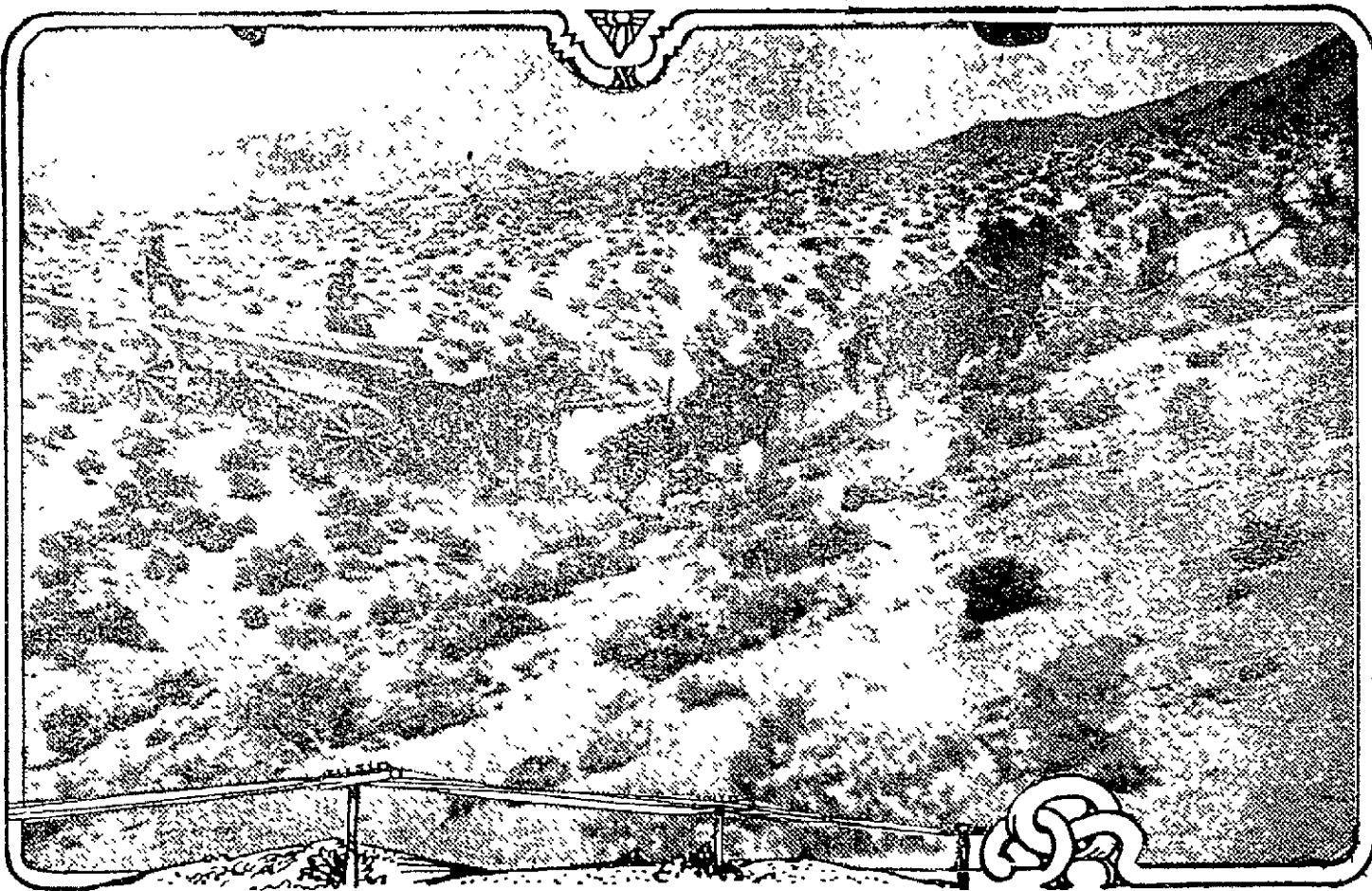
The Son—You shouldn't believe all you hear, dad. I'll introduce you to a man who will tell you another story.

The Father—And who is he?

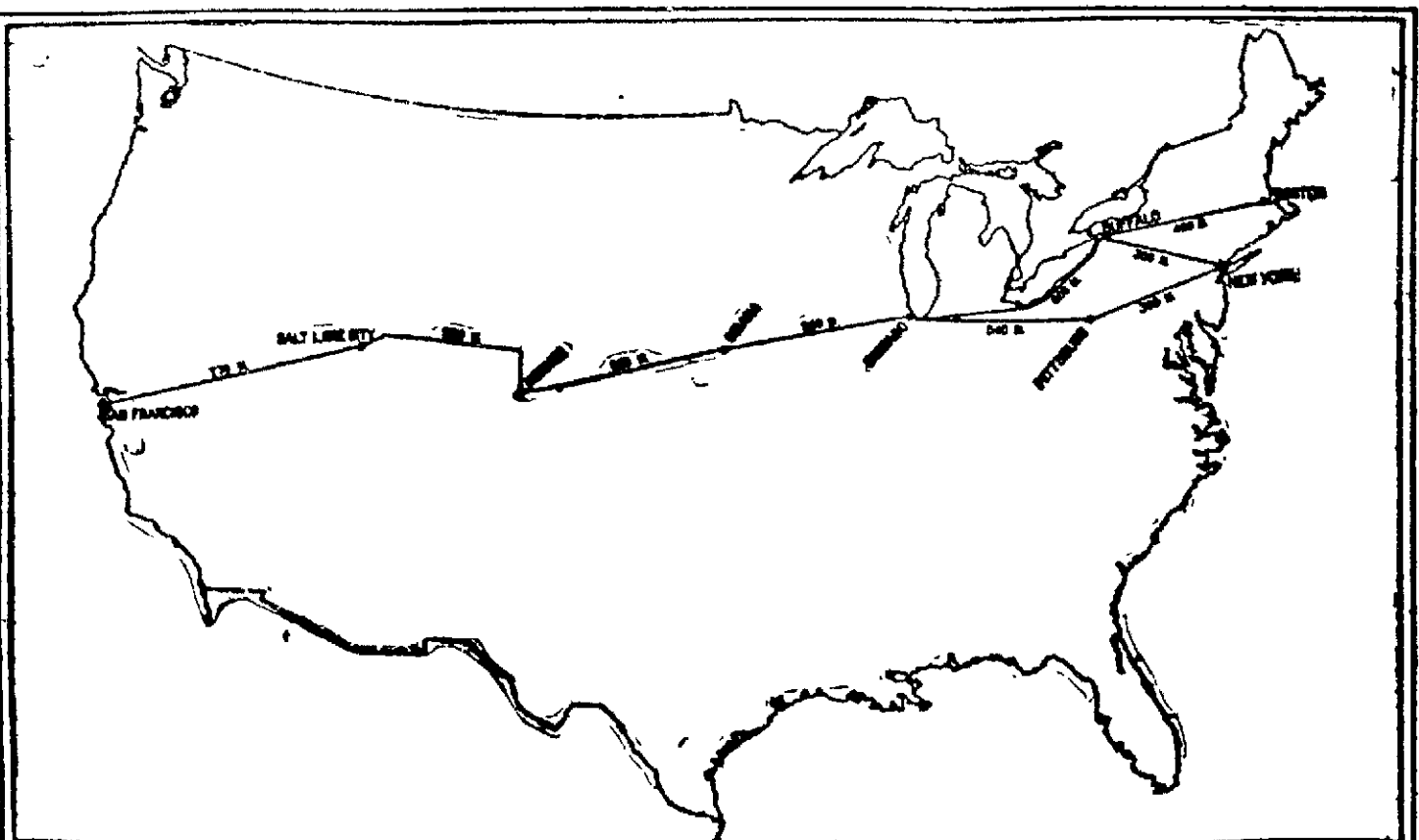
The Son—My tailor. He says I'm the slowest chap he's got on his books.

Defined.

Gerald—Say, pa, what's a bungalow? Pa—Well, a bungalow is a parody on a house.—New York Times.



THE ABOVE PICTURE SHOWS THE TREMENDOUS DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED IN CONSTRUCTING THE TRANSCONTINENTAL TELEPHONE LINE. IN MANY PLACES THERE WERE NO ROADS AND THE GANGS HAD TO MAKE THEM.



THE ABOVE MAP SHOWS THE ROUTE OF THE NEW TRANSCONTINENTAL TELEPHONE LINE THAT CONNECTS THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC OCEANS.

PROPERTY—Saloon, dance hall, residence and two acres of land for sale or rent, or will take in exchange city property. Call on or enquire of Aug. Stoltz, Smoky Spur, near Fancher, Amherst, route 2. m10w4
WANTED—A good dancing teacher four hours a week; good pay. Call for pupil at Bruce Hotel evenings between 8:30 and 9 o'clock, or write.
FOR SALE—White Leghorn chickens, 15 pullets and 1 cockerel. Inquire at this office.
ANGORA CAT, at stud, beautiful orange, best of stock; enquire at 211 1/2th street, Neenah, Wis. w2
SALESMAN WANTED to look after our interest in Portage and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. w2
LOST—Scotch Collie dog; color, tan and white. Had long rope around neck. Answers to name of Queen. Reward for return to E. L. Johnson, 608 Shauette street.
FOR RENT—120 acre farm, on shares or cash, for potatoes, grain or pasture. Near Stockton and Custer stations. Jos. E. Leonard, 210 Pine street, Stevens Point. tf
FARM HANDS, reliable and quick, who pay their own fare, furnished you free of charge by Diamond's Farm Hand Agency, 32 S. Canal street Chicago, Ill. m3tf
FOR SALE—Cheap, 160 acre farm 2 miles northwest of Amherst Junction, 110 acres under plow; one of the finest locations in the country. See or address P. W. Holte, Stevens Point, Wis., owner. tf
FARM FOR SALE—A 60 acre farm one mile from Knowlton and near Polish Catholic church. Contains two houses, two barns and other small buildings. Big bargain. Call on or address Paul Pasternacki, city. m3w4
RESIDENCE owned by J. W. Moxon near corner of Normal avenue and N. Division street, for sale at a bargain. Must be moved away at once. Call on owner. tf
EGGS FOR HATCHING—Eggs from single comb Rhode Island Reds, \$1.00 for setting of 15. Mrs. Ed. Isherwood, route 2, Plover, telephone rural 533. m3w8
IMPORTED PERCHERON and Belgian Stallions, two to five years old; weight 1800 to 2100. Write your wants. W. D. Burdington & Sons, Grand Meadow, Minn. m3w4
INVEST Your Idle Money in Choice First Mortgage Farm Loans, netting you 7 per cent and running 5 years. Interest and principal guaranteed. References furnished. J. N. Campbell, Stanley, N. D. f17tf
FOR SALE—Standard Reliable incubator and brooder combined. Holds 120 eggs. Will sell cheap. Inquire at this office.
FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Tack block on Strong's avenue. Have been used for dental parlors for past twelve years. Enquire at 107 Broadway street.
FOR SALE—Residence, 8 rooms, and one lot at 308 Fremont street, for sale at a bargain. Write to M. J. Cauley, 11 Clinton street, Wausau, Wis., or telephone The Gazette. tf
OLD PAPERS—They are wrapped in bundles and for sale at the office of The Gazette. tf
Buy your clover, timothy and alsike seed at Chas. A. Hamacker's.
Jas. Alcorn is at home from Madison university to spend the week.
C. M. Dwinell, the ice man at Amherst, visited friends in town today.
S. H. Worzalla was a visitor at Oshkosh last Sunday afternoon and evening.
H. P. Walker, postmaster at Plainfield, was a business visitor in town Monday night.
Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Rice spent last Friday at Rochester, Minn., the town made famous by Drs. Mayo.
T. J. Anders and C. E. Van Hecke spent a couple of days this week at Rhinelander on a business trip.
Mr. and Mrs. Karl Slope and baby were at Wheeler, Dunn county, over Sunday, visiting the lady's relatives.
Miss Kathryn Urbanowski went to Grand Rapids the last of the week to spend several days with her brother and other friends.
Mrs. E. P. Trautman and little daughter, Carol, are expected home tonight from Oak Park, Ill., where they were called nearly two months ago by the death of the lady's brother-in-law.
Edwin Neumann, who has been with the Wisconsin Bridge Co. at North Milwaukee for a number of years, spent Saturday and a part of Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Amanda Neumann on North Third street, brothers and sister.
The Stevens Point Poultry Association meet tomorrow evening at Dr. W. W. Gregory's office, over Rothman's store. Election of officers will take place and dates fixed for next winter's show. All chicken fanciers are invited to attend.
J. L. Smith, a former local resident and agent for the Watkins Remedy Co. in this territory, is over from Ripon to spend a week or two here and in this vicinity. Mr. Smith now travels for the King Co., manufacturers of medicines, stock foods, etc.
The local city treasury has been enriched in the sum of \$900.52 by a remittance from the Wisconsin Telephone Co., being 5 per cent of 85 per cent of the gross earnings of the home exchange, all of which was gratefully received by Treasurer Boyer.
Weber's band will give a St. Patrick's day concert at Empire Amusement hall next Wednesday evening, March 17th. Miss M. Phena Baker will render several solos. A number of classical and popular selections will be given by the band. Admission, 25 cents.
Miss Libbie Hlinack of Kewaunee was a guest of the Misses Fierek on Normal avenue from Friday until Sunday night, being enroute from Milwaukee to Neillsville, where she will have charge of a millinery store during the coming season. Miss Hlinack was trimmer for Miss Fannie Kugle in this city for a couple of seasons.

A full line of farm and garden seeds at Chas. A. Hamacker's.
Dr. Gerald B. Jensen, the Plainfield dental surgeon, visited his father in this city this week.
Mrs. Lawrence Bush of Fond du Lac visited a couple of days with her husband's parents, Conductor and Mrs. W. I. Bush on Jefferson street.
Rev. M. Klossowski was at Lanark and Amherst this week, going down to assist Rev. J. E. Meagher in special lenten services at those points.
Miss Emma Opperman of McMillan visited over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. O. A. Neumann, while returning home from Appleton and Weyauwega.
Rev. W. J. Rice spent a couple of days at Oshkosh this week, going down to assist Rev. M. H. Clifford in special devotional duties at the latter's church.
A. W. Sanborn of Ashland and W. G. Fordyce of Butternut spent Saturday night and Sunday forenoon in the city on a business trip and visiting among friends.
Peter Pliska, sent to state prison for abandoning his wife and five children, was taken to Waupun, Monday, by Undersheriff Frank Kubisiak, accompanied by Robt. Lutz as deputy.
Miss Agnes Meagher of Lanark and cousin, James Ryan of Kaukauna, returned to Lanark Monday after spending the week with their cousin, Mrs. Chas. O'Brien and family in Linwood. The meeting of the library board, which was to have been held last Friday evening, was adjourned on account of the unfavorable weather, and will take place at the board room in the public library next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.
Mrs. Raymond Tibbett of Downsville spent Sunday in the city and the next day went to Winnebago to accompany her mother, Mrs. Rose Jensen, back to this city. For the present Mrs. Jensen is making her home with Mrs. Robert Wilson.
Geo. W. Bigelow is spending a few days in the western and southern part of the state, going to La Crosse to visit his wife, who has recently been transferred there from Winnebago, and his daughter, Miss Ruth, who is attending St. Mary's College at Prairie du Chien.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Glennon and little daughter, Elaine, of Chicago arrived in the city Tuesday morning to remain indefinitely, he having disposed of his drug store interests in which he had been engaged there for the past few months. Chicago had been their home for several years.
The committee having the library hall in charge are making all arrangements for the annual event, which will take place at Empire Amusement hall on Monday evening, April 5th. Weber's orchestra has been engaged and this year's ball promises to be, as it has hitherto been, one of the social events of the season.
Mrs. Mike Dusel and three sons drove to the city from the town of Stockton last Monday morning, the drifts being so bad that it required three hours and a half to cover the distance. They were accompanied home by Miss Ida Dusel, who has been attending the Miss Anna Heigeland school for dressmakers on Center street for the past three months.
Ole Roseth, foreman of the Week Lumber Co. camp a few miles from Unity during the past winter, and Nels Evanson, the cook, have returned to their respective homes in this city, while other members of the crew have departed for various points. The past winter has been most favorable, there being a sufficiency of snow from the opening of the season.
The sixth annual convention of the Wisconsin Laundrymen's association was held at Green Bay last Friday and Saturday, and J. J. Normington of this city was among those in attendance. Marshfield was selected for the next convention, and among the officers chosen was F. A. Normington of that place, who will act as secretary and treasurer during the coming year.
Last Sunday's Milwaukee Sentinel contained a five-column cut of the Mu Phi Epsilon sorority at Lawrence college, Appleton, which is acting as "big sister" to a little music student in that city who gives promise of some day becoming a genius. The picture is of local interest because it shows good likenesses of two former Stevens Point girls, Chloe Spray, now of Racine, and Verna Goeltz of Neenah.
Herman Yokers of Buena Vista was in town Monday, going from here to Milwaukee for eye treatment. While doing some work at his home, the day before Thanksgiving, a copper rivet penetrated Herman's right eye ball and for the next eight weeks he was under the care of a Milwaukee specialist. The sight is gradually coming back and the young man expects to see as well as ever in the course of time.
Several members of the local branch of the National Association of Stationery Engineers, together with a few other men interested in the subject, listened to H. E. Pressinger, deputy state industrial commissioner in charge of boiler inspection, at the library club rooms, last Saturday evening. The speaker discussed boiler rules adopted by the commission and used a chart to make clear his points.
Horatio Harroun of Buena Vista township spent last Monday in this city, this being his first trip here since early winter. The family was quarantined for five weeks because of scarlet fever, there being four cases in the household, two of Horatio's children and two of his brother, Seth's. The five year old daughter of the first named gentleman was desperately sick for several days but all are now out of danger.
Maj. N. B. Backett and family, who have made Stevens Point their home for the past two or three years, the gentleman being engaged in the moving picture business here until recently and also managed the opera house, will leave about April 1st for North Freedom, Sauk county, to take charge of a farm in that vicinity. Mr. Backett is endeavoring to dispose of his bill posting outfit and also has several pianos for sale.
P. W. Holte, the real estate man, returned Sunday morning from a trip to Ohio, going direct to Findley, where he visited the Grant automobile plant and was shown through every department of this big concern. Mr. Holte bought a six cylinder five-passenger car of this make and expects it here within a few weeks. Grant "sixes" sell at \$795 and are considered the best on the market for less than \$1,000. The Stevens Point gentleman also attended to business matters at Toledo and in Chicago.

Mrs. Jos. Worzalla left for Milwaukee on this morning's train to visit a few days.
O. E. Wood went to Plainfield this morning to spend the week among relatives.
O. E. Wood and family are moving from Church street to a house owned by John McPhail at 931 Ellis street.
A. R. Week left for New York city last Sunday on a business trip and to visit his sister, Miss Cora Week, who is doing art work there.
Rev. Theo. Ringenon has returned from a short visit to Valders, Manitowish county, where he preached at a circuit meeting of Lutheran churches, held there last evening.
Mrs. Jas. F. Lawler of N. Fond du Lac came up last Friday and visited until Monday with her cousin, Mrs. M. O'Keefe, near Arnott, and her father, J. P. Leonard in this city.
A large delegation of Foresters will go to Milladore next Monday evening to attend a joint installation of Milladore and Junction City courts. Several candidates will also be initiated.
Dr. E. M. Rice, who is now an eye and ear specialist in Milwaukee, spent several days here last week on professional business and visiting his brothers, Rev. W. J. and Dr. D. S. Rice.
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Anders, who returned from North Dakota a few weeks ago to visit relatives and friends at the old home, left for Plainfield this morning to spend the balance of the week there.
N. Gross left for Iron River, where his wife has been for the past few weeks and to incidentally become acquainted with the little granddaughter that arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Morris.
W. L. Playman and John Martini left here Saturday morning for St. Louis and returned on an early train Tuesday morning, having spent a day with R. B. Johnson in that city in the interests of the Whiting Oil Co.
The Week Lumber Co. expect to start their saw mill for the season on Thursday, having received enough logs by rail to keep them going for some time, or until the greater part of their season's cut will have come by water.
Effect Caused Suspension.
Joseph Winkler, driver of the hook and ladder truck in this city, has been off duty since Monday, having been suspended for a period of ten days at a meeting of the fire and police commissioners held that evening. The charge against Winkler was intoxication, the time being Friday, Feb. 26th, when in his position as driver he attended the Episcopal church fire and was induced to take a drink from a philanthropic individual who came to the rescue after the driver had been about in the cold and wet for several hours. Instead of having the desired effect, Winkler says that the liquid "went to his head," causing the above charge to appear later.
The young man admits the facts, does not attempt to offer any flimsy excuse, and it is safe to say that he will be very careful as to the color of the "thirst quencher" he accepts in the future.
High School Notes.
Miss Helen Humphrey went to Appleton last Saturday for a couple of days' visit.
At general exercises Wednesday morning Mr. Godfrey gave several fine readings.
Alfred Godfrey, principal of the High school, spent the week end among friends at Appleton.
The members of the Boys' Debating Society enjoyed a pleasant sleigh load Saturday night.
Some very fine pieces of furniture are being completed in the manual training department.
It is impossible for the Seniors to secure the opera house for the commencement exercises and the Empire Amusement hall is not suitable for the purpose, so it is unsettled as yet as to where the exercises will be held.
The Thalian Society carried out the following program: Roll call, each member responding with an anecdote; paper on Roman art, Naomi Fulton; Greek myth, Esther Gee; short story, Regina Somers; parliamentary practice, society.
The following program was carried out at the meeting of the Boys' Debating Society Tuesday evening: Debate—"Resolved, That immigration should be further restricted." Affirmative, Roger Emmons, Adolph Neuwald, Wesley Held; negative, Charles Burns, Russell Stemen, George Carl.
For Sale.
Property on corner of Clark and Pine streets, on corner of Center street and Center avenue, and at 201 Cleveland avenue. Address Dr. John D. McGregor, Reliance building, Chicago, Ill. tf
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FREE Illustrated Stereopticon Lecture on AMERICAN STEEL FENCE POSTS
MARCH 16, at 1:30 p. m. at the IDEAL THEATRE across the street from our store
A representative of the American Steel & Wire Co. will be there to entertain you with a story of the manufacture, use and advantages the Steel Post has over the old wooden post.
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Life's Race Nearly Run.
Rev. B. O. Richter was called to Amherst Junction this morning by a telephone message announcing the dangerous illness of one of his parishioners, Mrs. Siminoo, who has been poorly for several weeks. Some ten years ago the lady was struck by lightning, rendering her left side and arm almost useless, and recently she fell and broke the arm. Because of advanced age and poor physical condition, the break has not healed and she is rapidly growing weaker.
OUR MARKETS.
Grain and feed quotations are given us by telephone every Wednesday noon by the Jack Milling Co. Emil G. Bedach furnishes prices on meats, butter, eggs, etc. Krembs Hdw. Co. prices on hay and Alois Firpus on potatoes. Farmers and buyers can depend upon them.
Rosebud..... 8 00
Talent Flour..... 8 20
Grain Flour..... 7 40
Rye Flour..... 6 40
Wheat..... 1 20
Rye 55 pounds..... 50 05
Oats..... 1 35
Wheat Middlings..... 1 30
Feed..... 1 30
Corn..... 1 60
Corn Meal..... 1 65
Butter..... 25 25
Eggs..... 17 18
Chickens old..... 14 50
Chickens spring..... 15 16
Turkeys..... 18 20
Lard..... 21 00
Hams..... 20 00
Mess Beef..... 15 00
Hogs, live..... \$6 00-6 25
Hogs, dressed..... \$8 00-8 50
Beef, live..... \$4 50-5 00
Beef, dressed..... \$5 50-6 00
Hay timothy..... 13 00-14 00
Potatoes..... 18 20
Triumphs..... 60 65
(Official Publication)
Report of the Condition —of—the—
Arnott State Bank
Located at Arnott, State of Wisconsin.
At the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1915, pursuant to call by the Commissioner of Banking.
RESOURCES
Loans and discounts..... \$40,864.01
Overdrafts..... .57
Bonds..... 5,371.17
Banking house..... 1,740.00
Furniture and fixtures..... 1,400.00
Due from approved reserve banks..... 4,695.33
Due from other banks..... 6,213.96
Checks and other cash items..... 274.77
Cash on hand..... 4,062.39
Total..... \$70,630.20
LIABILITIES
Capital stock paid in..... \$10,000.00
Surplus fund..... 425.00
Undivided profits..... 118.21
Dividends unpaid..... 3.00
Individual deposits subject to check..... 29,272.36
Time certificates of deposit..... 30,559.78
Cashier's checks outstanding..... 76.55
Reserved for taxes..... 175.00
Total..... \$70,630.20
State of Wisconsin, County of Portage, ss.
I, L. E. Scherke, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
L. E. SCHERKE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1915.
GEO. DECHAMPE, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 22, 1917.
Correct. Attest:
J. A. Werachowski,
E. J. Carley, Directors.

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You should be inspired to save because your forefathers did. They realized the importance of independence. DO YOU? Your association with this Bank
WILL PLACE YOU in an atmosphere that is filled with saving spirit. If you are ON THE PAY-ROLL open an account here next pay-day. "One Today is Worth Two Tomorrows."
You can open a Savings account in this big bank with one dollar. You can begin today. We pay three per cent on Savings. All business confidential.
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J. B. SULLIVAN & CO. (First pub. Mar. 10-1 Ins.)
County Court, Portage county, Wisconsin.—In Probate. In the matter of the estate of David Hoffman, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day) of April, A. D. 1915, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Anton Hoffman, administrator of the estate of David Hoffman, deceased, late of the town of Grant, in said county, for the examination and allowance of his final account and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are by law (or by the terms of said will) entitled thereto; and for the determination and adjudication of the inheritance tax, if any, payable in said estate.
Dated this 9th day of March, A. D. 1915. By the Court, JOHN A. MURAT, County Judge. W. F. Owen, Attorney for the Administrator.

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We are showing some pretty wide lace flouncings for dresses in black and white.
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Whatever your tastes or requirements may be you are assured of a more stylish looking, better made Coat if you choose it at ANDRAE'S.
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At this popular price we feature a large assortment in a variety of pleasing new styles. Every one carefully tailored from all wool fabrics in the new spring colors and fancy mixtures only. One coat of a style, but many styles. Specially priced at \$11.00
NEW DRESS SKIRTS
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Silk Waists are Here
Shown in a variety of the most clever designs—Silk Crepe de Chenes, Crepe Meteor, in white, flesh, sand and putty shades; also fancy striped tub silks in a variety of styles. You'll admire these splendid values at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$2.75 to \$5.00
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HELPFUL WORDS

FROM A STEVENS POINT CITIZEN.

Is your back lame and painful? Does it ache especially after exertion? Is there a soreness in the kidney region? These symptoms suggest weak kidneys. If so there is danger in delay. Weak kidneys get fast weaker. Give your trouble prompt attention. Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys. Your neighbors use and recommend them. Read this Stevens Point testimony.

J. B. Marshall, 302 Monroe St., Stevens Point, says: "A few years ago I had trouble from a dull pain across my back and I think it was brought on by the strain from lifting. The trouble caused me so much annoyance that I wanted to get rid of it. Knowing that one of my neighbors recommended Doan's Kidney Pills highly, I tried them. They relieved me quickly and soon rid me of the pain. Doan's Kidney Pills went right to the seat of the trouble and strengthened my kidneys. I can say that Doan's Kidney Pills are all they are claimed to be."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Marshall had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

The senate of the Vermont legislature killed the woman suffrage bill which was passed by the house.

For the Stomach and Liver.

I. N. Stuart, West Webster, N. Y., writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and liver off and on for the past five years, and it affords me pleasure to state that I have found them to be just as represented. They are mild in their action and the results have been satisfactory. I value them highly." For sale by all dealers.

Emma Peterson, twenty-two years old, domestic, employed by John Dooling, wealthy retired grocer, found with head crushed on street in Aurora, Ill., at night by two girls. Died at hospital. John Mason, aged sixty, held as suspect. This is Aurora's third murder mystery in twelve months. A woman has been the victim in each case.

To the Housewife.

Madam, if your husband is like most men he expects you to look after the health of yourself and children. Coughs and colds are the most common of the minor ailments and are most likely to lead to serious diseases. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when it has a cold. If you will inquire into the merits of the various remedies that are recommended for coughs and colds, you will find that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy stands high in the estimation of people who use it. It is prompt and effective, pleasant and safe to take, which are qualities especially to be desired when a medicine is intended for children. For sale by all dealers.

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BUTTERFLIES ON FROCKS.

Combined in Many Designs For Ornamenting Spring Gowns.



SPRING LINGERIE DRESS.

The butterfly motif is used effectively in the decoration of many of the models shown for spring and summer. The pretty frock of white cotton voile here illustrated is embellished with a hand embroidered design in butterflies and scrolls. The skirt has the smart yoke skirted in this case. There is a high frilled collar, with a velvet band to secure it to the neck. The girdle is of black velvet ribbon.

MILITARY HATS.

Everybody is Wearing Them and Looking Pert and Pretty.

Would you be in fashion? Then adopt a hat which in shape at least resembles one worn by some person in military service in the armies of Europe.

It need not be a general officer. It is the private or the marine who gets the head covering which is jauntest. These hats must be of the sort which best become a feminine face not too old for small hats, which are only convincing when partly posed a trifle to ward one ear.

Among the new millinery there is not a model exactly like Tommy Atkins', but there is a tiny affair which covers no more of the hair than does his of scarlet cloth. Take the majority of the military hats not designed for service at the front, this one is of black velvet. A broad sided rever brim lies so flatly against the crown that its presence would be overlooked but for an edging of narrow silver ribbon. Tiny tassels in silver or gold are new among military trimmings, but they are not a surprise, for they accord perfectly with the tinsel braids and cordings.

Homemade Icebox.

Few people know that a very good icebox for summer use can be made by placing a small box inside a larger one and filling the space between with sawdust. Set on blocks, bore a hole in bottom of both. If kept tightly closed twenty pounds of ice will keep in this box three or four days.

Air and Exercise.

Air is absolutely essential to the well being of every child. The mother should make it a part of her regular duties to see that her child has at least two hours' outdoor exercise every day. If school is over at 3 the child can come in at 5 to prepare his or her lessons for the following day.

THE ART OF SHOPPING

There is more in shopping than entering a department and buying certain articles. There is an art of successfully carrying out this necessary and delightful business that can easily be learned.

The shopper should remember that time is money and that salespeople are like herself, human, and equally deserving of courtesy and consideration.

There are one or two "Do's" that every shopper should lay to heart:

Do remember to have clearly in mind what it is that you require. Bring patterns if matching is to be done.

Do not forget that the saleswoman has to attend to many customers and cannot give an undue share of her time to any one. So do not indulge in long and unnecessary conversation.

Do remember that standing behind a counter all day is fatiguing and make allowances for human nature.

Have you Catarrh?

Is nasal breathing impaired? Does your throat get husky or clogged?

Modern science proves that these symptoms result from run-down health. Cuffs and vapors are irritating and useless. The oil-food in Scott's Emulsion will enrich and enliven the blood, aid nutrition and assist nature to check the inflammation and heal the sensitive membranes.

Shun Alcoholic mixtures and insist upon SCOTT'S.



The recent strike at the mines of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company cost the company, directly and indirectly, approximately \$1,250,000. President Jesse F. Welborn estimated in a statement issued at New York.

Whole Family Dependent.

E. Williams, Hamilton, Ohio, writes: "Our whole family depend on Pine-Tar-Honey." Maybe someone in your family has a severe cold—perhaps it is the baby. The original Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an ever ready household remedy—it gives immediate relief. Pine-Tar-Honey penetrates the linings of the throat and lungs, destroys the germs, and allows nature to act. At your druggist, 25c.

By a vote of 66 to 62 the Minnesota house of representatives, at St. Paul, passed the senate county option measure making prohibition a county issue. The measure now goes to Governor Hammond, who has indicated he would sign it.

Cut Rate Shipping.

Cut rates on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Body Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. tf

Robert M. Sweitzer defeated Carter H. Harrison for the Democratic majority nomination at Chicago by a plurality of approximately 57,000. The vote was the largest ever cast in a Democratic primary in Chicago. The total was approximately 300,000. Sweitzer received five women's votes to Harrison's three. William Hale Thompson was the Republican nominee for mayor by a plurality placed at approximately 1,000 over Judge Harry Olson, fusion candidate.

Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"I take pleasure in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my customers because I have confidence in it. I find that they are pleased with it and call for it when again in need of such a medicine," writes J. W. Sexton, Montevideo, Mo. For sale by all dealers.

MINIATURE TREES.

Simple Plan by Which Plants May Be Dwarfed in the Growing.

For many centuries the Japanese have closely guarded the secret of growing miniature trees. Indeed, until recently they did not allow the trees to be taken out of the country; wealthy people keep them as art treasures. Now, in America, dwarf trees bring a good price and are used as house plants and table decorations. By following the plan here described almost any one can raise diminutive trees with little trouble.

Get a few large, thick skinned oranges and halve them. Remove the pulp and cover the outside of the skins with thick shellac. That will keep the skins from shriveling. Fill the skins with fine, rich soil, and plant therein a seed of whatever tree you wish to raise—or rather two or three seeds, to insure at least one good specimen.

Make a stand of some kind so that the growing tree can be kept in an upright position and set the plants where they will get plenty of sun, but do not keep them in a room that is likely to become overheated. Water them regularly, but not too profusely. After a time the roots will begin to come through the orange peel. When that happens cut the roots off flush with the outer surface of the orange peel, but be careful not to injure the film of shellac.

It is the cutting of the roots that stunts the plants. When the tree has reached maturity you can transfer it to a more attractive holder. Conifers such as cedars, pines and cryptomerias can be readily stunted; so also can other evergreens, as ilex and Citrus trifoliata. Some dwarf cedars have been known to live more than 500 years. Fruit trees, such as the orange and plum, blossom and bear perfect fruit.—Youth's Companion.

Granite and Water.

A coat made of granite, while perhaps not the most comfortable article of wearing apparel—although granite in thin sheets is flexible—might be thought to be storm proof, yet granite will absorb a considerable amount of moisture. If a cubic yard of granite that had been completely dried out were immersed in pure water it would, according to the United States geological survey, after a short time take up four gallons of water.

No Reason.

"Are hotel men always good looking?"

"No more so as a class than other men. Why do you ask?"

"Because I want to know why they call them Bonny-faces."

POPULAR MECHANICS

Diamonds by Electricity.

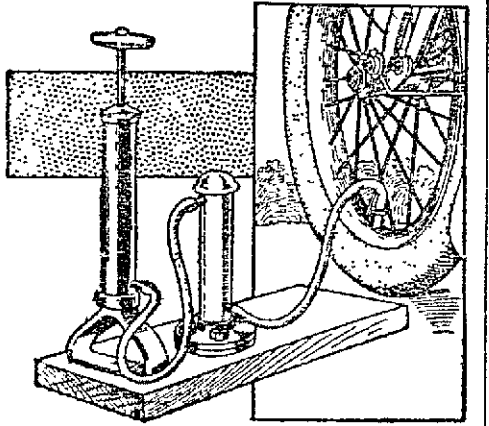
Guyot de Bolsmeu has produced diamonds by electricity. He discovered first that fused carbide could be decomposed by current. He fed carbide fragments slowly into the furnace, gradually withdrawing the electrodes. At the end of four hours the crucible held about six pounds of melted carbide. For the next two hours an intense current was maintained. Then the current was broken and the mass allowed to cool. In the center of the mass was found a finely crystallized carbide and near the negative electrode a black friable mass. Thrown into water this last gave off carbide dust and some crystals of pure carbon dust or diamonds. Experiments have shown that the size of the carbons increases with the duration of the current. As yet Bolsmeu has not been able to keep this up over twelve hours.—Edison Monthly.

Bending Copper Pipe.

Before a gasoline or oil pipe is bent it should be annealed either at the part to be bent or for its whole length. To anneal or soften copper it should be heated to a dull red and then rapidly cooled by being dipped into cold water. If the bend is to be a very sharp one the tube must be filled with some solid substance which melts easily. Rosin is generally used, but lead may be employed, and even if the tube is filled tightly with sand and the ends plugged plinching and klunking of the tube will be prevented to a great extent.—Automobile Dealer.

Tire Mending Device.

The device herewith shown is designed to inject puncture sealing compounds into pneumatic tires. The body of the injector consists of a piece of two inch pipe eight inches long, with a cap screwed on the upper end and a flange on the lower, says Popular Mechanics. A tire valve is soldered into



PUMP FOR INJECTING COMPOUND INTO TIRES.

a hole drilled in the pipe near the upper end and a piece of one-eighth inch pipe screwed into a tapped hole at the bottom. The cylinder is mounted on a base of hard wood that is large enough for a foot pump also. To fill the cylinder, the upper cap is unscrewed. When the cap is replaced a pressure is put on the fluid, after attaching a hose between the small outlet pipe and the tire valve.

Pumping Tires.

If tires are old judgment must be used in maintaining the normal pressure. If two strands of the fabric are left, however, the pressure of twenty pounds per inch of diameter may be maintained. Every effort should be made to keep moisture from the fabric of the rubber. Tire cement is useful in keeping moisture out of the cracks and is not very expensive. There is little danger of having too high a pressure on a new tire, as every average sized tire is tested to 200 pounds before being sold.

Exhaust Gases Are Poisonous.

That an engine should not be run for any length of time in a small close room is indicated when an examination of the exhaust gases shows that the products of combustion and partial combustion which are thrown off through the muffler are often very poisonous when not freely diluted with air. Mixing with air in proper proportions is not possible in the small closed room, and extra precaution should be taken to have the engine room thoroughly ventilated.

Nonrusting Steel.

According to Consul John M. Savage, who is stationed at Sheffield, England, a firm in that city has introduced a stainless steel, which is claimed to be nonrusting, unshrinkable and untarnishable. This steel is said to be especially adaptable for table cutlery, as the original polish is maintained after use, even when brought in contact with the most acid foods, and it requires only ordinary washing to cleanse.

Extracting Tar From Gas.

Electricity is being employed with success at a Detroit coke oven for the purpose of removing tar from artificial gas in the purifying process. The gas is passed through a highly ionized field, which is produced by a high tension discharge of current ranging as high as 80,000 volts, with the result that the tar forms in large drops, which are then easily separated.

Driving Heavy Cars.

It is well to remember that a car with great weight and long wheel base requires much strength, judgment and carefulness to drive it safely. Its great momentum when in motion calls for foresight; its weight makes it difficult to keep out of soft places and deep ruts.

A Painting Hint.

Never use a turpentine substitute in exterior paints, as it will cause trouble with future painting.

Be Clean! Inside and Outside

If you would be healthy, strong and happy. Baths keep the skin clean and in good condition. But what about the inside of the body? You can no more afford to neglect it than the outside. It is just as important that the system be cleansed of the poisonous impurities caused by weakness of the digestive organs or by inactivity of the liver.

DR. PIERCE'S Golden Medical Discovery

(In Tablet or Liquid Form)

Cleanses the system—and more. It puts the liver in such a condition of health that it purifies the blood—as it should. It helps the stomach digest food so that it makes good blood—rich, red blood to nourish and strengthen all the organs. You may avail yourself of its tonic, revivifying influence by getting a bottle or a box of tablets from your medicine dealer—or send 50c for a trial box. Address as below.

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"Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser"—a French cloth bound book of 1008 pages on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover mailing charges. Address Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

WONDERFUL VACUUM.

Science Can Produce It Almost to the Point of Perfection.

Scientists have succeeded in getting what is practically a perfect vacuum—have succeeded in taking all the air out of a space except the one hundred and fifty millionth of it. As long as they had to deal with the old time so called suction pump very low vacuums were impossible on account of leakage. The mercury pump was relied on to give the better vacuums, but that took a long time indeed. Then the Gaede pump and before that the Geryck pump improved matters somewhat.

The device now used is as ingenious as it is swift and reliable. Suppose that we have a sealed tube containing air. If we place this in liquid hydrogen the air in a few minutes becomes a solid in the bottom of the tube. If all the air were frozen we should have a perfect vacuum left, but air contains what the chemist calls "traces" of several inert and hard to freeze gases, two of which are helium and neon. The tiny amount of these rare gases found in the air is, of course, left in the space, and so a perfect vacuum does not appear. But helium has been liquefied also. As liquefied helium is the coldest thing obtainable, it will not freeze any more of itself.

To make the vacuum more complete, however, it was decided to put some charcoal in the tube. It had long been known that hot charcoal had the power to absorb or "occlude" gases, but little was known about its power when as cold as liquid air. A great surprise was in store for the first man to try it, however, for it was found that it absorbed a great deal more when very cold than when warm, in some cases seven or eight times as much. So the charcoal placed in the space absorbed a good part of the gases remaining, and the wonderful vacuum of .0000058 of a millimeter, the normal pressure of the air being 760 millimeters, was obtained.—Chicago Herald.

HOW OLD ARE YOU?

Do You Know Your Age and the Year and Day of Your Birth?

How old are you? When were you born? See if you really know. See if your children know how old they are. Do not laugh at these simple questions until you try the test.

According to a recent issue of the United States public health service reports, it is a common occurrence to find school children, even high school pupils in the junior and senior years, who cannot tell how old they are, or who, if they know their age, cannot tell accurately in what year they were born.

You will need this information when you apply for a marriage license, or in registering for voting, or in seeking a government position, or in case you claim that you are heir to a fortune that is going to some other person. You may have to go under oath as to your age when you pay your custom duties upon return from your next European trip. So you should practice. In some of our states there is no birth registration, so you may not be able to prove from the records that you ever were born. This might be embarrassing to you if you want to marry in Europe.

Perhaps the easiest way to remember your age is to form some jingle or rhyme on your birth year. For instance, "In 1897 little Johnnie came from heaven," or "In 1882 little Susie began to boo." Never mind what the rhyme is, just so you remember it, and if, after reaching the age of forty, you want to prove that you are only twenty-three years old, just change the rhyme and perhaps people will believe you when you repeat the jingle to prove your youth.

U. S., Not U. S. A.

Do you know what is the proper abbreviation of the United States? It is U. S. It is not U. S. A. There is widespread and apparently utter ignorance of this fact. The initials U. S. A. are the officially accepted abbreviation for United States army and do not under any possible conditions ever mean United States of America. At this time, when so many manufacturers in this country are branding their goods as made in the United States, this is important. The brand of U. S. A. upon anything means that it was manufactured for the United States army. "Made in U. S." is the brand which should be put upon all goods manufactured in this country.—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Disappointed.

She—I'm disappointed in Jack; he's tried to put his arm around my waist. He—And he couldn't get it round?—Baltimore Sun.

The senate of the Idaho legislature passed the state-wide prohibition bill, which makes the manufacture, sale and transportation for sale of intoxicating liquors unlawful after January 1, 1916. Bill now goes to the governor who has announced that he will sign it.

Some Rheumatism Curable.

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COUNTY COURT NOTICE—State of Wisconsin, Portage County, in County Court.

In the matter of the will of John Hautzinger, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, on the third Tuesday, (being the 16th day) of March, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as such matter can be reached, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Mary Hautzinger to admit to probate the last will and testament of John Hautzinger, late of the city of Stevens Point, in said county, deceased, and for letters testamentary thereon to be issued to Mary Hautzinger. Dated this 24th day of February, A. D. 1915.

By Order of the Court, JOHANN MURAT, County Judge.

W. B. Murat, Attorney for the Petitioner

(First publication Feb. 17—ins. 4)

STATE OF WISCONSIN, ss.

Portage County.

Notice is hereby given, that A. W. White, convicted of embezzlement on his plea of guilty on the fifth day of May, 1914, and sentenced to imprisonment in the Wisconsin state prison for a term of two years by the circuit court for said county of Portage, on the twentieth day of September, A. D. 1914, and now confined in said prison by virtue of said sentence, will make application for a pardon from said confinement and sentence, to the Honorable Emanuel L. Phillips, governor of Wisconsin, at the executive chamber at the capitol, Madison, Wisconsin, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as said application may be heard.

Dated this 12th day of February, A. D. 1915.

A. W. WHITE, Applicant.

Fisher, Hanna & Cashin, Attorneys for Applicant.

(1st pub. Jan. 27—ins. 7)

SUMMONS—State of Wisconsin, Circuit Court, Portage County.

August Koska, plaintiff, vs. John Biesik, Clara Biesik, his wife, F. Lech and Teofil Kuch, defendants.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendants and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend in the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

A. L. Monoghesi, Plaintiff's Attorney.

P. O. Address: Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

The original and copy of the Summons and Complaint in the above entitled action, are on file in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Portage County, Wisconsin.

(1st pub. Jan. 27—ins. 7)

STATE OF WISCONSIN—In Circuit Court—Portage County.

Madge Wahlin, plaintiff, vs. Axel Herbert Wahlin, defendant.

The state of Wisconsin to the said defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service, and defend in the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

W. B. Murat, Plaintiff's Attorney.

P. O. address: Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin.

To THE DEFENDANT:

The original summons and complaint in this action are on file in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court; said action being brought for a divorce on the ground of desertion.

W. B. MURAT, Plaintiff's Attorney.

(1st pub. Feb. 17—ins. 4)

ORDER FOR ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS

Portage County Court. In the matter of the will of John Hautzinger, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the will of John Hautzinger, deceased, having been issued to Mary Hautzinger.

It is Ordered, That the time until and including the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be and is hereby allowed and limited for the creditors of said John Hautzinger, deceased, to present their claims for examination and allowance.

It is Further Ordered, That all claims and demands against the said John Hautzinger, deceased, be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time hereby limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publication of this order and notice for four consecutive weeks, once in each week in The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date hereof.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1915.

JOHANN M. MURAT, County Judge.

W. B. Murat, Attorney for the Executor.